

THE DOTHAN EAGLE

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REV. H. M. HAMIL TO BE PRESIDENT S. S. ASSOCIATION

Chicago, June 26.—Rev. H. M. Hamil, of Nashville, Tenn., will be elected president of the International Sunday School Association, succeeding William Harris, of Boston, according to predictions before the convention met today.

Hamil is superintendent of the Teachers Training School of the Southern Methodist Church. The report of lessons committee promised a warm debate.

Agreement between evangelical churches and the association to change lessons committee will be opposed.

DOTHAN BOYS IN VAUDEVILLE.

Messrs. Royce Crawford and Foy Helms, two young men of Dothan, are soon to appear on the vaudeville stage. They are on the regular circuit and will soon receive bookings in several towns.

These young men have sung in several of the local theatres where they made a decided hit. Mr. Crawford is tenor while Mr. Helms is baritone.

Master J. P. Harper one of The Eagle's popular carriers is ill from the mumps at his home on Highland Avenue.

COMMITTEES TRY TO UNTANGLE CLAFLIN AFFAIRS

New York, June 26.—Three committees of creditors appointed to untangle affairs of the failed Claflin Company faced a terrific task today. Wide ramifications of Claflin lines, embracing twenty-seven stores scattered over the country, added difficulties to the work.

Fears that several banks would be carried down in the crash was allayed today, but it is not known what effect the failure will have on spinning and weaving centers of the South and East where the Claflin concern had a large credit.

MAN ARRESTED IN MURDER MYSTERY

Birmingham, Ala., June 26.—Louis King, a young white man, was arrested today for the assassination of Moses Houlahan, which stirred the city a week ago. Jealousy is the alleged motive. Sensational developments are expected.

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Drug Store are
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Ask him.
Two licensed
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PREPARING FOR ELECTION

Ballot Boxes and Poll Lists Ready

—Two Candidates in Town

Today.

Ballot boxes and poll lists to be used in the election June 29, to select congressmen from the Third District for the short and long terms, were being prepared at the Probate Office today. Chief Clerk W. U. Acree said the boxes and poll lists would be sent to the respective voting places today.

There are fourteen beats in the county, but in many of the beats there are two voting places. Twenty-four ballot boxes and the same number of poll lists are required for use in the county.

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REBELS TRYING TO ANNIHILATE REMAINING FEDS

Zacatecas, Mexico, June 26.—

With twenty thousand Constitutionals rushing toward Aguas Calientes to complete the annihilation of Federalists who escaped from here, General Villa today bent his efforts toward establishing a new government and obliterating traces of the battle.

A force of three hundred were put to gathering the Federal dead, which are heaped in piles, soaked with oil and burned. The first estimate of six thousand dead may be too large but officers in charge of the work say it will not prove far wrong. Federal dead strewn every foot of distance to Elbet, also miles away. News of Federal killed line the trenches, mounds evidence of the terrible execution of the rebel machine guns.

The body of Federal General Rodriguez lay in state today. The body of Federal General Rojas was burned on the funeral pyre. The Mexicans are being fed and sheltered.

**WALTER PRYOR HUNG
AS GARDEN TODAY**

Oodles, June 26.—Walter Pryor, a negro, was hanged this morning for the murder of George Gray. A white man, late Norcross. He made no statement.

MULKEY'S REPLY TO SPEIGHT'S LETTER

TO THE VOTERS OF THE THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Geneva, Ala., June 25, 1914.

My opponent, Mr. Speight, through the press and by circular letter undertakes to challenge my Democracy and to poison the mind of the people against me by reason of a letter which he alleges I wrote in 1896, eighteen years ago when I was affiliated with the Populist Party. It would be better for Mr. Speight to make his race against me on his merits rather than to undertake to make it upon what he considers my demerits.

The Congressional Committee, composed of nine men, one from each county in the Congressional District, met in Montgomery, outside of the District, on the 28th day of May, and without due notice to the people nominated Mr. Speight for Congress to fill the unexpired term of Judge Clayton. This nomination by only nine men was an undertaking on the part of Mr. Speight to deny 20,000 voters in the Third Congressional District the right to name their choice for Congress.

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dorsement that I received at the hands of the Democratic State Executive Committee.

In 1904 I was chairman of the Democratic Convention of Geneva county. I was elected as the Democratic nominee of Geneva county to the Legislature in 1910, and was chairman of the Committee on the Revision of Laws; and during that long and stormy session no one questioned my Democracy. I have fought the battles of the Democratic party in my section of Alabama for a long number of years and have been Chairman of many Democratic Campaign Committees.

During the recent congressional campaign in this district, ending on May 6th, Mr. Speight was constantly in consultation with me as a Democrat, and sought my support and influence as a Democrat in my county for Mr. Clayton. When he needed me as a Democrat, he did not question my Democracy; but when I seek to oppose him, he criticizes my Democracy. When I sought to overthrow a nomination by nine men and restore to the people their right to say who should be Congressman from this district, Mr. Speight, the beneficiary of this nomination, would poison the minds of the people by attacking my Democracy; but when he needed Democratic help and Democratic influence for Mr. Clayton, he did not fail to call on me. Whatever else may be said of my Democracy, I insist that I am too good a Democrat to undertake to get a Committee of nine men to nominate me for any office, when this nomination belongs to 20,000 Democratic voters.

Mr. Speight claims he is now willing to let the voters of the Third Congressional District settle the

election of a Congressman to the unexpired term; but it is a fact that before his nomination he wrote to and urged the nine members of the Congressional Committee to nominate him, and he accepted the nomination of these nine men in defiance of the right of the voters of this District to choose their Congressman for themselves. When the Democratic voters of this district were denied their right to choose for themselves their congressman, I took the right of the people to the highest Democratic tribunal in Alabama, you out before the State Democratic Executive Committee, and my name as a Democrat was put on the ticket so that the people, and not nine men, should say who shall be their representative. Trick of opposition.

A circular is now being industriously distributed throughout the District by Mr. Speight to the effect that my candidacy for Congress was endorsed in the city of Birmingham last Wednesday by a Republican committee; and I state that such endorsement was made, if made at all, without my knowledge, consent, and in my candid and earnest judgment, it was a piece of politics played against me by Mr. Speight or his friends to do me injury. I do know that the friends of Mr. Speight are now circulating in connection with this supposed Republican endorsement the further statement that I was present, participated in and sought such endorsement at the hands of these Republicans in Birmingham, which I denounce as a malicious falsehood and the author of it a slanderer and I call upon the people to repudiate such low and filthy political methods.

W. O. MULKEY.

GREAT DEMAND FOR DOTHAN'S NEW FOLDER

Not only the Chamber of Commerce, but many business men as well, are daily receiving requests for the Dothan folder recently issued by the Chamber of Commerce. One professional man has within the last few days received 24 such requests, inquiring particularly with reference to the recently platted subdivision to this city.

Georgia Convict Held By Officers

Robert Lewis, alias Jack King, an escaped convict wanted at Valdosta, Ga., was being held by local officers this morning, who expected Sheriff J. E. Garrison of Valdosta, to come for the prisoner.

The escaped convict was arrested by Deputy Sheriff John Hines, about three miles north of town Tuesday, and has since been held in the county jail pending his removal to Georgia.

New Front For Malone Furniture Co.

Building operations in Dothan are still on the boom. Work will begin next week tearing away the front of Malone Furniture company's building, west Main street, to make room for a modern plate glass front. There are to be two large show windows with a big double door in the center.

The two-story building next to the Young building will soon be completed. Mr. Helms, who owns the building, says that he means to put in one of the most up-to-date barber shops in Alabama. The building will be steam heated, and fitted up with gas. An eight foot collar is being put in where all pipes, etc., will be laid. Mr. Crawford, the contractor, left yesterday for Montgomery where he goes to purchase tile for the floor.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Heller left yesterday for a month's visit to their old home in Ohio.

WANTED—Huntling man under \$50 to introduce our Memberships \$50 to \$500 month. Write quick: I. L. U. 2461, Covington, Ky. # 17

CENTRAL OF GA. OFFICIAL IN DOTHAN

A Dothan visitor Thursday was J. G. Carlisle, assistant general freight agent of the Central of Georgia railway, who was making calls upon the business men, accompanied by Agent C. C. Bennett. Mr. Carlisle called at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, and expressed himself as being well pleased with this section.

Whiskey Case In Circuit Court Today

Charged with violating the prohibition laws of Alabama, Clem Bush was put on trial in the Circuit Court this morning. Before noon, C. C. Bennett, agent of the Central of Georgia railway, and Chief Clerk W. U. Acree of the Probate Office, had testified.

Through the testimony of Mr. Bennett, the state sought to show shipments of whiskey received at the Central of Georgia depot at

SALEM, MASS. UNDER MARTIAL LAW FOLLOWING DAMAGING FIRE

DOTHAN MAY GET BETTER RATES

Lawyer in Coal Rate Case Expresses
Confidence Material Reduction
Will Be Granted.

Secretary N. T. Cobb of the Chamber of Commerce is in receipt of a letter from Stuart MacKenzie, the Montgomery attorney who is looking after the interests of Dothan and several other Alabama cities in their efforts to secure a more equitable coal rate.

Mr. MacKenzie says that he is of the opinion that the Dothan case before the Railroad Commission is in good shape, and he believes that our efforts will meet with success. At the same time, he does not think that the rate prayed for, viz: \$1.25, will be granted, though a substantial decrease in the present rate of \$1.80 will be given.

A decision cannot be hoped for until after the Commission shall have another hearing. Chairman Henderson having announced that such hearing would be held for the purpose of giving both the railroads and the shipping points a chance to be heard again before making a complete readjustment of the coal tariff. The date of this hearing will be announced later.

Mayor Baker and Secretary Cobb attended the coal rate hearing before the Commission last Monday.

INTEREST IN MEDIATION HAS DIED OUT

Niagara Falls, June 26.—The arrival of Constitutional delegates to discuss peace with Huertasia is now scheduled for Saturday night or Sunday. Notwithstanding the promise of Carranza representatives to bring about peace, it is believed Villa will be in Mexico before the settlement is accomplished.

Interest in mediation proper has died out. Ambassador DeGams has gone to his summer home in Long Branch, N. J., and Minister Baerleaves tonight for Washington.

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PAULINE
AND HEAR
BILLY ARWOOD
at the Palace Today
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leged to have been for Clem Bush. Chief Clerk W. U. Acree took the stand to identify a record from the probate office.

Thirteen cases in which the defendants were charged with having violated the prohibition laws, were set down by Judge H. A. Pearce yesterday.

WEATHER
Generally fair tonight and tomorrow.

Salem, Mass., June 26.—This city is under strict martial law today, following the fire which did damage estimated at from five to ten million dollars.

Revolutions commenced at five o'clock this morning, after burning unchecked since two o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Four are known dead, and many missing. The governor issued a proclamation calling on the State to help twenty thousand homeless. Many thousands lost positions as well as homes.

The burned area is crescent shape, two and a half miles long, and a mile and a half wide at the widest point. Two of the known dead were found in the ruins, others died from excitement. The National Red Cross contributed five thousand dollars to relief funds.

HOUSE AGREES ON NAVAL APPROPRIATION BILL

Washington, June 26.—The House today agreed to conference report on naval appropriation bill.

DOTHAN WILL HAVE PERMANENT CHAUNTAQUA

Committee of Ladies Out Today Interviewing Citizens in regard to Making Institution Permanent and Making It a School.

A committee of ladies was out today conferring with business and professional men in regard to having a real first-class chauntiqua for Dothan next year. These ladies who have started the movement to arouse interest in a permanent Chauntiqua for Dothan, have long ago erased the word "fall" from their dictionaries, and The Eagle is glad to make the statement with as much confidence as it could the coming of tomorrow's sun that next year Dothan will have the best, the biggest, the most economical Chauntiqua on the Southern coast.

The movement will move then. They have launched through the Chamber of Commerce and the Hay Scouts, and the steps of the Chauntiqua will be enlarged to embrace the farmers, the boys' corn club and the girls' tomato club. There will be programs on certain days of especial interest to farmers.

A platform manager who has had experience in Chauntiqua work will be secured, a fine orchestra, the old favorite Rogers' Grand Band of Gordon, Ind., if possible, will be secured to play the entire week or ten days engagement. Platform speakers of national reputation will be included in the program; and the morning hours will be devoted to public study and discussion of religious subjects. All departments of the Chauntiqua will be working, the Chauntiqua, the religious, and the educational.

Dothan has wanted and needs a Chauntiqua for some time and the State believes the committee, the most with heavy support, will succeed.

SOCIETY NEWS

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Mrs. C. E. Harmon

MISS LILLIE MAE JONES HOSTESS

Miss Lillie Mae Jones was the attractive hostess to the D. B. V. N. club, at the home of her mother, at 5 o'clock.

The spacious front porch was attractively decorated in graceful ferns and cut flowers. Here the four tables were placed for the playing of pool.

At the conclusion of the games delightful sandwich and grape juice were served to the following guests: Misses Blanche Burke, Mary Jim Young, Lucile Sharp, Dorey Hornsby, Irene Lenoir, Lennie Strickland, Robbie Harrison, Julia Tatum, Nellie Goff, Christine Reid, Annie Ross, Katherine Logan, Elizabeth Latham, Pearl Jones, Willie Slough and Nellie Williams.

BRADLEY CRAWFORD WEDDING PLANE

The many friends of Miss Crawford are anxious to hear the plans of her wedding to Mr. Thompson Bradley of Adairville, Ga., which have just been completed.

The wedding will occur at seven o'clock on the morning of July the 2nd at the First Baptist church, and will be a dainty wedding in every detail.

Miss Ruth Stapleton will be maid of honor. Mr. Paul King of Rome, Ga., will be best man. The bridesmaids will be Miss Rose Hutchinson of Enterprise, Miss Jennie Mae Ford, Miss Minnie Cave and Miss Evelyn Harris. They will wear white tulle dresses with short sleeves and carry shocker-shaped bouquets of white daisies.

The groomsmen will be, Mr. Al Flowers, Mr. Bob Crawford, Mr. Frank Oliver and Mr. Roy Hill, who will also act as ushers. Master Boy Byrd and little Miss Al. McGolden Harmon will precede the bride to the altar, throwing her pathway with flowers. Mrs. Harry Ferraro will preside at the organ, accompanied by Miss Margaret Taylor as violinist. Mr. Royce Overton will sing preceding the ceremony, which will be performed by Rev. E. H. Jennings.

NO NAME CLUB

Mrs. James W. Grant was the charming hostess to the No Name Club Thursday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock at her beautiful home on North Foster street.

The several apartments were attractively decorated in ferns and green and white. Mrs. Charlie Ingram and Mrs. Hugh Smith discussed delicious punch from a beautiful appointed table in the dining room.

Four tables were placed for the playing of pool, after which the hostess, Mrs. Hugh Smith, and Mrs. Charlie Ingram and Mrs. Ed Ingram, presented a delightful salad.

The guests were Mrs.

Jim Young, Mrs. Carmichael, Mrs. McCallum, Mrs. Ed Jones, Mrs. Robt. Boyd, Mrs. Bob Williams, Mrs. F. D. Oliver, Mrs. Lennie Smart, Mrs. Will Penn, Mrs. John Flowers, Mrs. Will Flowers, Miss Robinson, of Clayton, Miss Reynolds of Ozark, Mrs. Ray Jones, Mrs. Hugh Smith, Mrs. A. Y. Malone, Mrs. Jonah Lenoir, Mrs. Sellers McNeill.

PROGRESSIVE CONVERSATION PARTY

Honoring her guests, Misses Reynolds, of Ozark and Robinson of Clayton, Miss Mary Ma Flowers entertained at a most unique progressive conversation party last evening. As the guests arrived they were served refreshing punch from a table banked with brown-eyed Susans, by Misses Annie Saxon and Marguerite Ghent. They were then presented to the guests of honor and invited to the lawn, where Japanese lanterns, beautiful ferns and hanging baskets of brown-eyed Susans made a fitting background for the lovely toilet worn by the happy maidens.

Numerous swings, cozy corners, and chairs appropriately placed, made ample room for the wandering couples.

As each guest arrived they were given a program and the girls made the engagements to talk three minutes on the topic chosen. At the end of each three minutes a bell was rung and an exchange of partners took place. This occupied most of the evening and caused much merriment.

Later a refreshing ice course and punch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Williams and daughter of Dothan, spent today here, while enroute to Eufaula.

Mrs. Ivey A. Black, and Miss Ruby Hawkins, of Midland City, were visitors to the city yesterday.

Miss Mary Ma Flowers of Dothan, has returned home after a pleasant visit with friends in this city.

Mrs. Charlie Ingram of Dothan, spent Sunday in Ozark.—Ozark Herald.

Mrs. Walter Sherman and daughter, of Columbia, were in the city today.

Miss Edna May Warrick of Dothan, spent a few days last week in the city with her brothers, Messrs. L. F. and Alto Warrick.—Early County (Ga.) News.

The young men of the city will entertain at a moonlight picnic tonight in honor of the visiting young ladies.

Mrs. Campbell of Columbia, will give a dinner tomorrow evening honoring Misses Robinson and Reynolds, the guests of Miss Mary Ma Flowers.

Mrs. James A. McAndrew will entertain this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock honoring her guests Miss Rebecca Cochran of Montgomery, and Miss Virta Green of Selma.

Miss Evelyn Harris will entertain this afternoon, honoring Miss Charlie Crawford, a bride-elect.

Miss Maude Crawford, of Dothan, is in Troy, where she went to attend the White-Couch wedding.

Mrs. S. E. Couch of Clearwater, Fla., is the guest of Mrs. J. R. Faircloth for a few days. She is on her way home from attending the wedding of her son, Joshua Couch, to Miss Margaret White of Troy.

Miss Nell Reid has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. B. Mour of Birmingham.

Misses Ruth Reynolds of Ozark, and Robinson of Clayton, are the attractive house guests of Miss Mary Ma Flowers.

Mrs. W. M. Lewis left this morning for an extended stay at Tanawaka Springs, Fla.

Mrs. Creighton, of Atlanta, Ga., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. O. G. Godwin on West Crawford street.

Mr. R. H. Ramsey and son Robert, have just returned from a three-weeks stay in Pineapple, Ala.

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Mrs. A. D. Whiddon has returned from an outing at the hay.

Saturday Last Day

Of My Redction Sale On Men's and Boys Clothing and Hats.

This sale offers an opportunity to get Men's and Boys' brand new this season's Clothing and Hats from one fourth to one third less than regular prices. Here is the way the prices have been reduced.



BOYS' SUITS

1-3 off all boys' suits except Palm Beach.

\$5.00 Suits,	\$3.34
6.00 "	4.00
6.50 "	4.34
7.00 "	4.67
7.50 "	5.00
8.00 "	5.34
12.00 "	8.00
15.00 "	10.00

MEN'S SUITS

1-3 off all men's 2-piece suits, except Palm Beach.

\$15.00 Suits,	\$10.00
16.50 "	11.00
18.50 "	12.34
20.00 "	13.31
25.00 "	16.67
27.50 "	18.34
30.00 "	20.00

MEN'S PANTS

1-4 off all men's pants except linen and wash pants.

\$3.00 Pants,	\$2.25
4.00 "	3.00
5.00 "	3.75
6.00 "	4.50
7.00 "	5.25
8.00 "	6.00

BOYS' PANTS

1-4 off all boys' pants except linen and wash pants.

\$1.00 Pants	.75
1.50 "	\$1.13
2.00 "	1.50
2.50 "	1.88

STRAW HATS, PANAMAS

\$6.50, \$7.50 Panamas,	\$5.00
2.00 Straws,	\$1.50
2.50 "	2.00
3.00 "	2.50
4.00 "	3.00

All men's Palm Beach suits regular prices \$7.50, \$8.50 and \$10.00,

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